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## RESPONSE AND <u>AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116</u>

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## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is submitted in response to an office action having no paper designation number but dated 29 October 2004 in the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant, through Applicant's attorney maintains the traverse of the restriction requirement. However, Applicant hereby cancels claims 1-4, 6, 10, 19-22 and 25 in accordance with the Examiner's requirement in the action dated

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